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TAGS: PREL, PINR, UG, RW
SUBJECT: RPF REP COMPLAINS ABOUT DEVELOPMENTS IN
RWANDA

REF: KIGALI 4060

1. RPF REPRESENTATIVE DR. THEOGEN RUDASINGWA VISITED
THE AMBASSADOR ON NOVEMBER 14 TO REVIEW DEVELOPMENTS IN
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RWANDA. RUDASINGWA WAS GENERALLY UPBEAT ABOUT THE
SITUATION THERE AND WAS PARTICULARLY LAUDATORY OF THE
UN/UNAMIR COMMANDER, GENERAL DALLAIRE. RUDASINGWA SAID
HE HAD CALLED, HOWEVER, TO COMPLAIN ABOUT TWO ISSUES:

-- ALLEGED MILITARY RECRUITMENT OF BURUNDI HUTU
REFUGEES BY PRESIDENT HABYARIMANA: RUDASINGWA CLAIMED
THAT PRESIDENT HABYARIMANA AND HIS MRND COLLEAGUES WERE
RECRUITING BURUNDI HUTU REFUGEES TO FORM A SECRET ARMY
TO BE USED AGAINST THE RPF AT SOME POINT IN THE
FUTURE. WHEN THE AMBASSADOR ASKED FOR PROOF OF THESE

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ALLEGATIONS, RUDASINGWA SAID THE INFORMATION WAS BASED ON REPORTS FROM THE FIELD. HE OFFERED NO OTHER PROOF. THE AMBASSADOR SUGGESTED THE RPF TAKE THE ISSUE TO GENERAL DALLAIRE.

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-- MRND EFFORTS TO BLOCK BELGIUM PEACEKEEPERS. RUDASINGWA SAID THE RPF WAS DISTURBED BY EFFORTS UNDERWAY BY HABYARIMANA'S MRND STALWARTS TO BLOCK THE DEPLOYMENT OF BELGIUM PEACEKEEPERS AS A PART OF UNAMIR. RUDASINGWA DESCRIBED THIS AS A FORM OF INTIMIDATION DESIGNED TO UNDERMINE THE UN'S ROLE AND ABILITY TO FUNCTION. HE SAID THE RPF WOULD SIGNAL TO THE BELGIUM GOVERNMENT THE RPF'S WILLINGNESS TO HAVE BELGIUM PEACEKEEPERS IN RWANDA.

2. RUDASINGWA SAID THAT HE WOULD BE TRAVELLING TO BRUSSELS, PARIS AND WASHINGTON DURING THE LAST TWO WEEKS OF NOVEMBER TO EXPLAIN THE RPF'S POSITION ON RWANDAN DEVELOPMENTS. HE SAID HE WOULD CALL OFFICIALS IN AF/C WHEN HE ARRIVED IN WASHINGTON AROUND

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3. BUJUMBURA MINIMIZE CONSIDERED.

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